directing the Ranking Line Officer of the Maryland National Guard to take out, pay for and maintain a policy or policies of insurance under the Workmen's Compensation Law to secure compensation to the officers and enlisted men of the organized militia of the State of Maryland.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That a new section be and it is hereby added to Article 65 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1935 Supplement), title "Militia", said new section to be known as Section 15A and to follow immediately after Section 15 of said Article and to read as follows:

15A. The Ranking Line Officer is authorized and directed to take out and thereafter maintain a policy or policies of insurance with the State Accident Fund or with any stock corporation or mutual association authorized to transact the business of Workmen's Compensation insurance in this State, to secure compensation under the Workmen's Compensation Law to all officers and enlisted men of the organized militia of the State of Maryland. The Ranking Line Officer is authorized and directed to pay the necessary premium or premiums for said policy or policies of insurance out of appropriations for the militia to be included in the State Budget by the Governor of the State.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1939.

Approved May 24, 1939.

## CHAPTER 545.

(House Bill 689)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 273 of Article 22 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, (1930 Edition), title "Washington County", sub-title "Hagerstown", changing the hours for primary and general elections, registration and revision days of voters in Hagerstown.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 273 of Article 22 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Washington County", sub-title "Hagerstown", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows: